

I resent the media giants unequal access to the FCC members. I want to see this law repealed. This hurried, lobbying purchased, vote is shameful. Not surprisingly the media giants did not give adequate press to an issue that would effect their bottom line. Michael Powell's unwillingness to allow more time for public input is consistent with a bias in favor of the conglomerates who wined and dined many of the FCC commissioners. No stronger example of our need for diverse unbiased media coverage of vital issues can be offered. With media lobbyists buying FCC votes, it is essential that excessive media consolidation be stopped. I do not want the broadcast networks to own television stations that reach 45% of the national audience. Look what they were able to achieve with 35% of the national audience. I vehemently oppose one company owning two stations and any expansion of joint ownership of newspapers and tv stations.